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**GRAB SOME PROTECTION.**

Editor Calhoun, of the H.-D., has been making himself a name for himself among the strange freaks of those who want the tariff revised. He treats himself to a tone of fairness, and by its dulcet aid tries to make it appear that the freaks are principally to be found among the democrats. He mentions two or three instances in which these democrats are asking for a higher rate of protection. The moral to be gained is that we are protectionists when our interests point that way.

This amounts to saying that men will try to grow wealthy. The brewers, the democratic orange growers, and the sugar planters, were never held to be an exception to this rule. But perhaps the H.-D. would like to leave the impression that these men vote the ticket of tariff reform when in reality they are anxious for protection for the sake of the tariff. In other words they vote the democratic ticket in spite of the fact that the platform have to say about trade. This is a favorite way the republican papers have of putting the situation. At first it was not thought by democratic papers that such a statement of the case would gull anybody, but as the republican editors hang onto it so tenaciously, it is suspected that they see some hope of reward.

New let us see if a man may not vote the democratic ticket, and in the event of Harrison's election, ask for a share of the protection that is being dealt out by sections of the election day, the "democratic orange grower" says to the New England manufacturer of woollens: "Let us both put our articles down to an honest price." When the votes are counted it is seen that the New Englander has won, owing to a peculiar arrangement that often throws the law-making power into the hands of a republican minority. It at once becomes understood that the prices of woollens shall go up, and that the duty that protects every New England industry will be shown up a few per cent. The orange grower soon sees that it is the popular idea and policy to grab all you can. What wonder then, that he should come in and ask to be allowed to put a fancy price on his oranges? He knows that it will take a little more money to buy a suit of New England wool; he knows that under the present cheap dispensation it will take a few more dollars to stock up on foreign tinware. His expenses of living have been increased against his protest, and so he comes in and asks for a chance to make the added amount of somebody.

And now, Editor Calhoun has often had much to say about the cheapening influence of protection. We would like to know if he honestly thinks that the democratic orange growers are asking for a higher duty in order that they may be enabled to sell oranges at a smaller figure? Ask the orange growers about this. As they were not raised in the hypocritical school of high protection, perhaps they may let out a little of the truth.

But this we do say: While the reigning idea is high protection, and during such a time as you can't get away from it, go in for all of it that you can grab. If we are to have cut-throat trade, then give every man a knife. As things now run, the farmer should insist on a bounty upon every bushel of corn that he raises. The brewer and orange grower, and sugar planter are right. If the pets of Quay and Wauauaker are given the right to make an artificial profit out of their produce, then the same right should be given to every man in the country. Of course we know to what end a general reign of artificial profits would lead, but it may be advisable to allow a glutton to gorge himself to death.

**THE FAIR IS OURS**

It appears that a few of the cities that were beaten in the contest for the World's Fair are just now indulging in a very poor assortment of puppy whining. St. Louis started the complaining and got the laugh, at which stage it had sense enough to fall to the rear. But now New York is troubled with an indigestible mess of sour grapes. Of course there are a few papers in New York City whose editors are mainly enough to own up when they are beaten. On the other hand there are some editors in that town who understand the binding force of no beating, except such a one as goes by the term, spanking. Foremost among these stands Elliott P. Shepard, by the grace of Providence and the assistance of the Vanderbilts. He is still bowing to have the Fair sent to New York. He is aided and abetted in this by a few republican journalists and leaders that surround him.

In the first place, it is about time for

Shepard to retire from public life. He did the country all the service it was ever inclined to ask of him when he took the burden of his support off its shoulders by marrying a Vanderbilt. That little act completed the mission of his existence; and with it, the people are content to let the whole matter drop. The Vanderbilts can now win some good will and gratitude by retiring him from public gaze.

But the New York Tribune pretends to see the defeat of its party in the location of the Fair at Chicago. It seems that there are a few thousand business men in New York who feel that a fair at Chicago will injure their purses. In some way these men blame the recent vote in the House on the members of the republican party; and just now they are swearing loudly that they will never again vote the patriotic ticket. All this clatter has stirred up a few of the republican leaders in the state of New York, and these are anxious to reopen the question of site.

It might be well to inquire, by what right is a World's Fair made a question of politics? This country has come to a pretty pass when it cannot celebrate the 400th anniversary of its discovery without dragging in a lot of political questions that would ordinarily be kicked out of a ward primary. We take it that the great body of our people are only interested in the Fair being a success, and that as an expression of the country may be proud, and not as a big scheme to help some anxious and mouthy politician.

When you get down to the bottom of the reasons why New York is now bringing to bear, you will see that she claims the Fair in order that some of her merchants may make money. And these golden ducks have influence with the men who run the republican party. They are in close touch with Boss Platt, and they have a sympathetic pull with the few millionaires who make up the U. S. Senate. If they can't get the Fair for themselves they are good enough to intimidate that they will be satisfied with killing it. If they do not, they will drop out of republican politics.

Well, it ought to be certain that these fellows cannot succeed. New York is only a small part of this country, and no sufficient reason has been given why its 40 should dictate to the 60 or 70 millions that are left. What has that great part of the country outside New York to say to these insolent demands? When the question was before the House the New York men were allowed to conduct their campaign in a way to suit themselves. They went in and were thrashed by a valiant western city. That fight was made before the representatives of the people. Now the select few propose to reopen the fight in old glove fashion, and before an assembly where it is hoped men are rated according to the number of diamonds they wear.

The trouble with some New York people is, they think they rule this country by some sort of divine right. In the recent contest of the West pressed its claims with all the vigor it had. It won, and now the people who would steal the laurels will find that it would have been comparative child's play for them to win the first fight. If the threats of New York republicans are sufficient to stent out victory, we shall confidently expect to hear from the republicans of the West. The fight was once won in a fair way, and if unfair means are now to be tried, perhaps we can summon up enough of them to make the kickers wish they were in bed. The West stands dangerously ready to emphasize the fact that it is a part of this Nation, and there is no one who has more need of this knowledge than republican bullies.

To add to the gloom and horror of solitary confinement a copy of Senator Blair's speech on the educational bill will hereafter be put in the cell with the prisoner. If this does not break down his rude spirit, a copy of the Republican will be introduced to complete the work. While these measures will undoubtedly prove effective, yet they may take away from us the right to inveigh against the barbarities of Russian prisons.

It is confidently expected that the H.-D. will, this morning, inform its readers that we are to have a trunk factory in town. The component units of "combined resources" were seen diligently studying a copy of Thursday morning's REVIEW.

GENTLEMEN of the county board, THE REVIEW wishes to thank you for your hearty and timely appreciation of what is no longer a park scheme, but a lovely reality. It is pleasant to shake hands.

FERRY, there is nothing in the law that for bids you to use Oakland Park as a pasture for the long eared memories of your ancient uncles.

LEX of The Republican and Lex of The Bulletin may now go into the backyard and kick the filling out of each other's pants.

The starving miners of Pennsylvania should drop into the Carnegie library and feed their minds—(Courier Journal).

Mr. LEX may step out into the stilly night and amuse himself by winking at the stars.

Chicago Market.

The following were the closing quotations in Chicago at 1:15 p. m., yesterday, received by G. C. Caldwell, secretary Decatur Grain Co.

WHEAT—Mar., 78c; April, 79c; May, 79c.

CORN—Mar., 28c; April, 28c; May, 28c.

OATS—Mar., 26c; April, 26c; May, 26c.

PORK—Mar., \$10.25; April, \$10.32; May, \$10.47.

LARD—Mar., \$3.95; April, \$4.07; May, \$4.10.

RIBS—Mar., \$4.97; April, \$4.97; May, \$5.00.

ESTIMATED RECEIPTS:

Live Stock—Hogs, 23,000; market steady. Cattle, 13,000; market steady.

Grain—Car Lots—Wheat, 27,000; Spring Wheat, 92c; Corn, 420; Oats, 121.

St. Patrick's Hall.

At recent next Monday evening. A fare and a third will be charged by the Wabash for the round trip, if 25 parties buy tickets. As who want to attend should leave their names with James Yocle. Trade leaves Decatur at 3 p. m. Tickets to be had at depot.

**MEETINGS GROWING LARGER.**

The Nice Weather Makes More People Turn Out.

The afternoon service was opened with prayer by Rev. W. B. Allen. The scripture lesson was a part of the 22d chapter of Mark. After a solo by Mr. Greenwood, "I Could Not Do Without Thee," Mr. Mills took for his text two words found in Mark (xvi.) "And Peter." There is no character we read of in history that gives so much confidence and so much alarm. Peter was one of the most trusted disciples and closest to Christ with him in his most important works. He was the most bold in declaring his love and allegiance to Him. If Peter had kept close to Christ, he never would have denied him. It was his following afar off that got him into trouble. Then the first person that Christ thought of when he was raised from the dead was Peter. He had denied him. And so the Lord does not forget his unfaithful disciples, but takes special pains to assure them that He loves them still. It is a wonderful thing that the blessed Christ uses such people as Peter in His service. He can take even the lowest and make them His ambassadors. The one that he loves most is the one that has had most forgiven.

THE NIGHT MEETING.

The greatest joy that has been seen in the East Mother Church since the war of the first night, was there last night. The first thing Mr. Mills did after his arrival was to tell the church members to go down stairs. He said they should have gone down the first thing without waiting to be told. They were reminded that at judgment day they might be called on to answer for their selfishness. There was a general movement among the audience. Seats were vacated and aisles cleared. Several hundred passed down stairs, and even after the church was what was called crowded. Many stood in the aisles because unable to find seats.

The opening prayer was made by Rev. L. Field.

Mr. Mills read some verses from the eighth chapter of Ezekiel.

Before beginning his sermon Mr. Mills said possibly some church member had come in with a cordial invitation to be given them to go down stairs. He had received word that there was room for a few more, and he wanted them to go. If they did not they were assured they would wish they had before the sermon was over. Some who had gone down the front stairs and entered the main room again from the Water Street entrance, took waiting at this and went down stairs to stay.

The text was from Isaiah lvii, "Let the wicked forsake his way." The text, he said, was one that everybody could understand, and the most simple that could be found.

No exhortation could be made that would contain more. Who are the wicked? There may be some who think more of business than they think of God; they may think more of their friends, of their property, or even of themselves than they do of God. There might have been some there who didn't go down in that meeting down stairs. They were the wicked. Any who were not ready at all times to sacrifice themselves and to put on the simple and the plain. The words of the text is applied somewhat to one who has become what is called a backslider. There is not a place in the Bible where a backslider is not spoken of tenderly. God wants them to turn back and come to Him again, and they themselves are not satisfied till they do so.

The text also applies to the self righteous man. Such a man it was Christ spoke to when he said "your righteousness exceedeth that of the Scribes and Pharisees." Such a man may be a moral man, charitable and generous, but his influence is on the wrong side. They keep weaker people from God and cause their destruction. Morality is good enough as far as it goes, but it isn't far enough. Another self righteous man is one who has his righteousness all to himself. He is like the Pharisee. You don't find many Pharisees in the church now days. With the inconsistent people about the church and the people. To say such things indicates that they are strong and full of crookedness. Wherever there is peace, or civilization, or gentleness, or hope, or happiness, there you find Jesus Christ. How short sighted then are those who say unkind things of the church of God. If you have that spirit in your heart you are a wicked man, a curse to the community, and a blot on the happiness of your friends.

Another man says he is not like that. He says he is a sinner, and he knows it, but he doesn't profess to be concerned about that. He ought to be concerned about that. This indifference is an indication of death. You are out on a cold winter day, and suddenly find yourself not troubled by the cold. What does it mean? Death! You must hasten to get inside or you will be too late.

Here is another man who says he is a sinner, and has stood up in meetings, been prayed about, and done everything, still he cries "How can I get rid of my sins." The next thing he has better do would be to use a little common sense. Give up his sins, forsake his sins.

The second thing God asks the wicked man to do is to forsake his way. That is simple. Some people seem to be waiting for God to take their sins from them. Your mother, your sister, or any friend might be wishing to give their lives or make any sacrifice, yet they can't do anything for you. "The wicked must forsake his way." Some are very willing to forsake other people's sins. Some of us are willing to forsake the sins we don't care for. One will say he will give up to other man's sins, but he is not ready to give up his own.

If you have done anything yourself, God wants you to give it up. "Let the wicked forsake his way." He don't want you to give up anything that will do you any good, or add in any way to your happiness.

Now we come to the third question. If you do not forsake your sins they will never forsake you. They will stay with you always and will be a curse to you. The judgment seat, while others will follow you through all eternity.

We come now to the last of the sentence: "Let the wicked forsake his way and turn to God, and He will forgive him." He will give you promise of happiness through all eternity, a hope of life everlasting. Who should not be willing to forsake his wicked way for that?

After bringing this sermon to a close with an earnest appeal to all to forsake their own special sins and turn to God, Mr. Mills asked all who felt they would like to do so, to raise a moment. A great many did so. Perhaps 50 altogether. Mr. Mills prayed for them.

Mr. Greenwood sang, "I was once away from the Savior."

Mr. Mills invited all who had handed in cards at all of these meetings, and all who were not church members, to go down stairs to attend the service at 8 o'clock. That seemed to include everybody, for nearly every one went down.

**THE BROTHERLY MEETING.**

Mr. Greenwood led the meeting that began in the lecture room at the same time the meeting began up stairs. After song and prayer he took as a text, "Know ye not that your body is the temple of the Holy Ghost?" (1 Corinthians vi:19). He made a clear and effective exposition of it that greatly pleased all who were present.

Today—Prayer meeting at 9 this morning, preaching at 3 and 7:30.

Ladies' prayer meeting at 2 p. m.

Prayer meeting Saturday morning and night.

Services on Sunday exactly the same as on last Sunday.

NOTES.

The ladies wanted more time in their prayer meetings, so they began at 2 o'clock.

Mrs. S. Bottwell led the ladies' meeting yesterday afternoon. There was a great attendance.

All the ministers take their recreation in the bicycle school.

Mr. Greenwood held the attention of a large group of ladies after the afternoon service, telling them his experience in trusting in the Lord.

Dillon City.

Special Correspondence to The Review.

The roads are in the worst condition they have been for many years.

Patrick Griffin bought a lot of cut to net Sullivan and drove them home yesterday.

Lowie Smith and Miss Mattie Mayes were married to-day at 12 o'clock at the bride's parents.

Albion Miller and Matt of Sullivan, local professional business in our village, Tuesday.

It is hard to tell which is the more plentiful in our village, lawsuits or mud. Two of the former to-day.

R. V. Pearce's school closed yesterday at the King school. Mr. Pearce is a good teacher and a fine teacher.

Miss Maude Gibson closed a very successful term of school yesterday at the New Hope school. She has been engaged to teach the spring term at the same place.

Dr. E. P. Hilliges has purchased a stock of drugs in Charleston, Thursday, and family will move there to-day.

John and Edward Hebbel will look after the drug store at this place.

B. F. Barnes and about 40 of his pupils took advantage of the snow Friday, and got sleds and drove out to the Kendall school. They all report a good time and were very high of the program which was prepared for the last day.

A "chinch" party was given by Mr. and Mrs. John Weinhold on last evening. The evening was spent in playing "chinch" until 10 o'clock, when the boys appear with a beautiful supply of cake and treats which were served on the table. They all came away pronouncing it the best party of the season.

Miss Jennie Rogers closed a very successful term of school at the Kendall school Friday. The pupils showed the appreciation of her teaching.

Several speeches were made, in which the all spoke of the progress their children had made. Mr. Glenn gave the very little children a most excellent talk, one they could understand and appreciate. Miss Rogers made each of her pupils, and some that were not pupils a present of a very nice picture.

March 12, 1920.

Special Correspondence to The Review.

J. A. Hyson was transacting business in Farmington City last week.

John Knott's 22nd crop of corn to Kizer Bros. for 22 cents per bushel.

Miss Ella Dixon, teacher at East Lynn, is visiting home through a short vacation.

David Van Curen has rented property here and will move his family here soon.

Herbert Leavitt has moved into property he purchased of J. R. Wortham, a short time ago.

Amos Dismantment has purchased a barber's outfit, and will follow barbering in the future.

Prof. McDermott lectured on temperance at the M. E. church on last Tuesday and Wednesday nights.

Mr. Mary Arthur, who has been staying with her sister, Mrs. John Macey, left for her home at Newman, Wednesday.

There are now 120,000 bushels of corn in cribs here now ready to be thrown on the market whenever the price is favorable.

C. A. Turner has returned from Valparaiso where he has been attending school. Charles is a full-fledged bookkeeper.

We are having a bad case of this in town. We do not want better few much, but we would like to look at a few pounds.

We notice Bernard Stuve of Springfield on our streets again. Mr. Stuve is interested in the big ditch east of town, he being one of the drainage commissioners of this district.

We cannot imagine why J. W. Hawver visits Hammond so often. We see him here every few days. Mr. Hawver is a fine man and a democrat and we would like for him to stay with us more than he does.

John L. Patrick met with a rather serious accident on last Wednesday. He was riding on a horse and fell from the back of it. He was knocked down and the wagon passed over one of his legs and one arm, but luckily no bones were broken.

Special Correspondence to The Review.

Charles Pope has moved to Morrisville. Herman Fromm moved to Macon county last week.

Alexander Ball is still in the employ of William Morgan.

Tate Fromm will assist William Damery in farming this spring.

Mrs. Drake of Kansas, is visiting her niece, Mrs. William Morgan.

Mrs. E. M. Burns is visiting her sister-in-law, Mrs. O. B. Burns in DeWitt county.

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The undersigned is the executor of the last will and testament of the late John A. Hyson, deceased, and is authorized to receive and pay over to the persons entitled thereto, the assets of the estate of the late John A. Hyson, deceased.

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## MORNING REVIEW

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Mrs. K. H. Roby is visiting at Chicago.

County Clerk Hardy is visiting Chicago.

Mrs. C. E. Ruhl, of Forsyth, is in the city.

Tuck Foster of Livingston is in the city.

Miss Sue Murphy is visiting friends in Paris, Ill.

George Ross, of Herry City, is visiting in Decatur.

Mrs. K. Price the temperance lecturer, is in the city.

A. Waaser, of Hammond, was in the city yesterday.

Smith Walker, of Bethany, was in the city yesterday.

E. W. Colgrove, of Taylorville, is in the city on business.

James Mullikin left for a business trip to Chicago yesterday.

Judge C. M. Twardell, of Lake City, was in town yesterday.

Mrs. Isaac Monroe, of Sullivan, is visiting Decatur friends.

Miss Josephine Stamper is now on duty at Lino & Scruggs' store.

Walter Pritchett, of Niantic, was a visitor yesterday to Decatur.

Mrs. Frank Watson, the would-be suicide is almost entirely recovered.

N. E. Rhodes, a prominent merchant of Monticello, is visiting in the city.

Mrs. A. S. Clark and daughter, Annie, of Dalton City, are visiting friends in this city.

Mrs. J. G. Combs of Monticello, Ill., is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Miller.

A. P. Fletcher, late cashier of the Livingston Hardware bank, has opened a real estate office in this city.

John F. Rechter, who has lived in Decatur for the past 33 years, announces this morning as a candidate for alderman in the Fourth ward.

The Batchelder school, northeast of the city, closed yesterday for the term, and the teacher, N. M. Jacobs, is in the city, enjoying his vacation.

Hon. R. H. Hill returned yesterday from a visit to Edgar, Neb. He is much pleased with the country out there, and is thinking some of moving out there.

Dr. Bolton, late candidate for commander of the G. A. R., was in the city last night for a couple of hours. He left for his home in Chicago on the midnight train.

Rev. G. W. Ross, brother of A. F. Ross, is in the city with his family. He has just resigned a pastorate of a Christian church at Blandville, Ill., to take charge of a church of the same denomination at Spokane Falls.

G. W. Elshart returned yesterday from New Orleans, where he closed most advantageous contracts for bananas and Georgia watermelons, to be shipped in carload lots. Decatur is booming, and George is bound to stay at the head of the procession.

Our special illustrated review of Decatur will be by far the most complete and elaborate work ever issued in the city. You should hand in your order for a dozen copies at least, so that you can let your friends know what kind of a city you are living in.

Hue Singleton returned from Nashville, Tenn., yesterday afternoon. He is much pleased with his treatment by all classes in the south, and brings back with him as souvenirs, three came out from the battle fields of Missionary Ridge, Lookout Mountain, and Chickamauga. The canes are the gifts of the Young Men's Republican Club of Chattanooga, Tenn.

Mrs. Ellsworth the famous mind reader at Combs European hotel will remain one week longer until Friday, 21st. Those that desire to consult her do so at once.

From the Nevada, (Mo., Mail.) O. J. Miller, I don't believe in fortune telling or mind reading, but Mrs. Ellsworth can tell you things about yourself that you would suppose no one on earth knows anything about. How does she do it? I don't know; but she does. Why, she can outline your character as well as you could do it yourself. If her forecasts of the future are as true as her portraits of the past then it is worth while to talk to her. She is certainly remarkable in this work.

"A Legal Wreck" To-Night

The play at the opera house to-night will be Gillette's latest success, "A Legal Wreck." It will be given by a good company. The Philadelphia Call says of the play:

"It made a big hit and will have a successful run in this city. The author has chosen to call his play a comedy, but the majority of the large audience last night went away impressed with the idea that there was more of the melodramatic than of comedy in it. Whatever it may be called it is entertaining; at times intensely so; at times very funny and never dull. The performance throughout was excellent."

His Creditors Mourn

News comes from Herry City that a farmer near there named Dermal had disposed of his crop and personal property, sent his wife home to her parents near Casner, and then departed for some place unknown. It is said he has left numerous creditors to mourn his departure. He was seen boarding a north-bound Central train here Monday, but was thought to be only going up the road some where on a visit.

Waived Examination

Charles Rutherford, the man arrested at Taylorville, on the charge of stealing a span of mules, buggy and harness from J. G. Kile at Clinton, Mo., Saturday, confessed his crime to the state attorney of Christian county. Waived examination and was placed in jail. The team stolen from Doody has not yet been recovered.

Diphtheria in the Struth Family

A third child of Jacob Struth, living six miles northeast of Decatur, was very low with diphtheria yesterday afternoon, and not expected to live. It will be remembered that two of his children died within a few hours of each other one day last week.

## THE SUPERVISORS AGREE TO LEASE THE FAIR GROUNDS

By a Vote of 17 to 5.—General Rejoicing

Over the Happy Result—Another Big Step Forward for Our City—Mayor Kannan Perfectly Satisfied—Score Another Point for the Review.

The supervisors have done themselves proud—The Review begs to thank them most heartily in behalf of the city of Decatur for their just and progressive action on the park question. The Review asked them to sell the fair grounds to the city. They declined to do this but by a happy compromise, they have satisfied all parties and have agreed to lease the grounds to the city for park purposes for a term of thirty years at a very reasonable rental, as will be seen by the proceedings printed elsewhere.

The Review, which has almost always been conducted in behalf of the people, the demand for a public park, is naturally in a very happy mood this morning. In spite of petty jealousies and private opposition, the will of the people is again triumphant. It was a sharp, short fight, and though the result was not exactly what was asked for, it is abundantly satisfactory and settles the park question on a solid and permanent basis.

The Review wants to acknowledge the valuable efforts of Mayor Kannan in behalf of the park project. He has been unceasing in his labors, and largely to his able presentation of the subject is the glorious result due. The mayor was in a very happy frame of mind after the final vote was taken, and he is already busy with projects for the improvement of the property. He knows what he is talking about when he says that with an expenditure of \$10,000 the fair grounds can be made more attractive than could any other grounds within a hundred miles of Decatur for ten times the amount. It is expected that the city council will ratify the lease at their next meeting. Then the next step will be to try and make some arrangement to obtain possession of the twenty acres belonging to Orlando Powers.

The people should also remember that a great deal of work was done by Vice-President Martin, of the Short Line. As soon as the vote was taken the news spread like wild fire. Many thought it too good to be true, and demanded to have the report authenticated. The rejoicing was universal and praises for the energetic and enterprising manner in which The Review conducted the park campaign were to be heard on all hands.

The year of 1890, with its new factories, its big brick contracts, its new sewers, its union depot, its big blocks of business buildings, 10 miles of street car extensions, its new trotting association, its reduction in freight rates, and many other valuable features present and coming, will present a memorable one in Decatur's annals, but when the history of the future is written, nothing will be found to be of more value and more importance to the public weal than the dedication of the fair grounds to the uses of the public for park purposes.

The Review is proud of the glorious victory, and wants to congratulate everybody.

## HIS BONDSMEN

Give Him Up and Edward G. Hodge is Now in the County Jail.

Messrs. Baker and Wilson, E. G. Hodge's bondsmen, gave him up at a late hour last night, and Officer Miller delivered him into the custody of the sheriff at the county jail.

This action on the part of the bondsmen is said to be due to the discovery of the existence of more forged notes, and was taken as a measure of safety. The poor, distracted wife of Hodge pleaded piteously with the bondsmen not to give her husband up, and finding that unavailing, begged earnestly to be allowed to accompany him to jail. Of course this request could not be granted, and Mrs. Hodge was left to pass the night of agony and grief.

A. T. Risher has purchased a great many of Hodge's notes and he now thinks that several of them are forged, as within the last few days at least one other forged note alleged to have been given by J. S. Coddington of Atwood for \$45 has been discovered.

The operations of this young man in the forgeries are such foolish, asinine, and explainable ones, that people generally believe him to be of unbalanced mind. A rational wouldn't do such a bungling job, and a sane man could not get away with as many as most in the unfortunate affair is the sorrow-stricken, faithful young wife, who is left almost alone to bear the burden of her husband's disgrace.

## STRAY SCRAPS.

The Cadets had a drill practice last night.

Cyrus Downey of this city has been granted an increase of pension.

The final examination of teachers from state questions will be made to-day.

Kepley's orchestra of six pieces will play for St. Patrick's ball at Bennett, Monday night.

To-morrow morning at 11 o'clock Miss Sarah E. Reynolds of Bloomington will deliver an address to the city teachers, at the high school.

Judge Vall will arrive from Paris to-day and will open court to-morrow for the trial of a civil case, after which he will adjourn for the term.

In that portion of the city north of the Washab tracks the street crossings are in a horrid condition, and something ought to be done towards making them passable.

A. L. Platt, of Clinton, the inventor of a dry pressed brick machine, is in the city. He is having a model made at the Union Iron Works, and when completed will send it to Europe in order to obtain foreign patents and to introduce the machine in foreign lands.

The shed of the "healing room" at 41 1/2 mill, caught fire last night in some way unknown, and was almost completely destroyed. An alarm was given and quickly answered by the hose companies, and them and their earnest work is due to credit of preventing the fire from doing a great deal of damage.

Unnecessary Misery.

Probably as much misery comes from habitual constipation as from any derangement of the functions of the body, and it is difficult to cure, for the reason that no one likes to take the medicines usually prescribed. Hancock River was prepared to object to this difficulty, and they will be found pleasant to the taste of women and children.

Dose, one Fig. Mack Drug Co. N. Y.

Largest Stock and Plain Figures.

All goods marked in plain figures at McLeary & Son's. Perfect fits guaranteed. Largest stock in the city.

St. Patrick's Ball

at Guards' armory Monday night. Admission, 50c.

## THE COUNTY FATHERS.

Still Wrestling With Questions of Importance to Their Constituents.

The supervisors disposed of considerable matter of public interest yesterday. They will probably adjourn to-day until March 27th.

It was recommended that the petition of the Citizens' Electric street railway be granted with the exception of the provisions of the board, embracing the provisions in said contract with the highway commissioners of Decatur township.

The construction of the road must begin by May 1st and be completed by Oct. 1, 1890. The company shall not charge more than five cents for carrying any passenger from any portion of the proposed road, or over the ones now used by the company or those hereafter built by it to any other point, during a term of 20 years. The road must be constructed under the direction of the commissioners of Decatur township.

It is also provided that if this territory should hereafter become part of the city of Decatur the contract shall not be null and void until the city assumes entire control over said company.

The location of the track on North Broadway northward, shall be selected by a committee appointed by the board in connection with the highway commissioners. Messrs. Miller, Johnson and Steeter were appointed such committee.

The committee to whom had been referred the petition of the Women's Industrial and Charitable union recommended that if any poor women desired to enter the poor man's home, that the overseer of the poor be instructed to issue an order to the treasurer of the Women's Industrial Union for the amount now received weekly by such women from the county.

The report of W. Barber, superintendent of the Macon county farm, for the quarter ending March 15, 1890, was approved and ordered recorded.

The committee to whom was referred the matter of purchasing maps for the county offices reported adversely to doing so at this time, but recommended that if any parties publish a map of the county that a sufficient number be purchased to supply each county office with one at a reasonable price.

In regard to juror's certificates remaining unclaimed in clerk's offices, the committee being unable to find any bearing on the matter, recommended a list of the juror's names be made by the clerks and presented to the board at their next regular meeting, and that such action as may be deemed advisable be taken for their cancellation and destruction.

Communication from J. G. Badenhausen, relative to an excessive assessment, was referred to judiciary committee.

The petition of the Decatur Tile Co. for a road on the north side of the fair grounds was granted.

The committee to whom was referred the communication of M. F. Kannan relative to the purchase of the fair grounds for park purposes, submitted the following report, which after many motions, etc., was adopted:

To the County Board:

We, your committee to whom was referred the communication of M. F. Kannan, relative to the sale of the Macon county fair grounds to the city of Decatur, for the use and purposes of a public park, beg leave to submit the following:

A majority of your committee, reflecting the wishes of their constituency, would report against an absolute sale of said grounds.

We would, however, recommend that said fair grounds be leased to the city of Decatur for a period of 30 years for a public park; provided that the city of Decatur shall earnestly commence and continue from year to year to improve and beautify the grounds so leased, and keep the same under police control; and in consideration of such lease the city of Decatur shall pay into the county treasury of Macon county.

Annually for the first 10 years.....\$100

Annually for the second 10 years.....\$200

Annually for the third 10 years.....\$250

It should also be stipulated in such lease that if at any time the grounds could be used for the purpose of an exhibition ground, the permanent location of the state agricultural fair, then the city of Decatur shall surrender such lease and possession of the grounds.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

Signed H. E. MAY, W. M. PHARES, H. MAY, R. M. MACHAN, L. F. HOCK, Committee.

Some of the supervisors spoke in favor of delay. Mr. May said the present board was better able to decide than a new board would be.

Montgomery, of Macon, wanted to delay the matter so that it could be presented to the people at the town meetings, and thereby give them a chance to express their opinion.

Roberts, of Illinois, said while the supervisors were proud of the city of Decatur, they also represented Macon county, and were interested in its progress and welfare. He didn't know how all his constituents felt, but he knew some thought the city wanted to gobble up the fair grounds for nothing, if possible. Even the citizens of Decatur had talked with about it were divided, some having advised to sell for \$10,000 and some not at all. He was not in favor of leasing it, but would sell for \$10,000.

Freeman, of Decatur, spoke in favor of leasing, and presenting the city's case in a clear way.

Houck, of Harrisburg, was in favor of taking action at once, and leasing to the city.

McClure, of Pleasant View, called on Mayor Kannan to know if the city would lease the grounds.

The mayor said the city would lease the ground if the lease was long enough, but it did not want to lease the grounds on a short lease, because it could not afford to make the improvements it wanted on such a lease.

After remarks by others, and when it became apparent that the question was about to be put, John Lindsay introduced considerable humor into the proceedings by making a short speech. He said he understood the board wanted an expression of opinion from citizens. As a citizen of both county and city, he felt that he had a joint interest in the matter with the board in the consideration of this question. If the county had no further use for the fair grounds, it was the duty of the board to dedicate it to the public or to sell it at a reasonable price. He felt indignant at the way the matter had come before the board. If the people trying to get the board to dispose of the grounds wanted it to dedicate to the public, why didn't they come before it and ask it to do so. Or, if they wanted to buy the grounds, why didn't they come in a business way and say so, and not try to work a confidence game on the board. They wanted to lease the grounds at a very low figure, when they knew either street car company would pay a much larger rent than that.

He supposed that if we can't have the necessities of life we must have the luxuries. The mayor had said in the city

## THE NEXT MEETING OF THE G. A. R. OF ILLINOIS TO BE IN DECATUR.

About 6 last night Major G. R. Steele received a telegram from Commander R. J. Roberts which said: "The encampment comes to Decatur next year." At 10:30

Quinn and he returned from Quincy and he conferred the message with a few particulars. The matter was decided on the third ballot. In the first Decatur was first, Rockford second and Peoria third. Peoria dropped out and another vote was taken. Decatur still led slightly. On the third ballot Decatur carried the day. Gen. Herman Lieb, of Chicago, Comrade Pike, of Bloomington, and Comrade Clokey, of Decatur, presented Decatur's claims to the encampment. The speech of the latter-named comrade was an able and effective one. Bloomington, Clinton and all neighboring towns imparted us.

A Social Time.

The Eureka Fishing club held its last meeting for the winter last night at the residence of Robert Tullis, on North Morgan street, and the evening until midnight, was spent most delightfully in games, music and dancing. An elegant supper had been prepared, and was heartily enjoyed by all present. Among the guests were: Robert Tullis and wife, William Beall and wife, William Latham and wife, Thomas Dawson and wife, L. G. Kaufman and wife, Mrs. Little Katkin, of Crawford, Neb.; Misses Laura Tullis, Edith and Ruth Bevans, Rosa Ruehlman, Samuel and William Barnes, Leveridge Rade, Mont Brown, Dick Suckitt, George Locke and Jake Latham.

Following is the final vote: Voting aye: Messrs Amman, Freeman, Hays, Honck, Hughes, Johnson, Machan, May, Murphy, Montgomery, McClure, Phares, Rogan, Smith and Waggoner, 15. Voting nay: Messrs Brown, Johnston, Jones, Keller, Roberts, Richardson and Steeter, 7.

The following committee was appointed to confer with the mayor and city council to specify the terms upon which the fair grounds may be leased, and report at the adjourned meeting, May, Roberts, Free Houck, Machan and the chairman.

Real Estate Transfers.

Nicholas Schanley to Henry A. Wood, deed to lot 13, block 5, Crowder & Cornthwaite's addition—\$1,000.

Emily A. Bowers to Henry L. Highly, deed to south half n. e. 1/4 and north half s. e. 1/4 35, 15, 2 east—\$9,000.

James M. Eymann to Alonzo H. Eymann, deed to four acres in 34, 10, 1 east—\$80.

W. L. and Sarah E. Smith to Decatur Board of Education, deed to lot 2, block 3, Lake & Co.'s addition—\$2,357.

Henry A. Wood to Nicholas Schanley, deed to lots 7 and 8, Crowder & Cornthwaite's addition—\$500.

Mary T. Gault to H. W. Grant, deed to lot 13, Gault's second addition—\$300.

Mary F. Newell to William Clark, deed to lot 3, J. R. Gorin's addition—\$1,000.

A Chance for Life.

Mrs. Carroll Eads returned from Edinburgh yesterday. She found on her arrival there Wednesday, that her sick sister had been taken to the Mullany hospital at St. Louis. A St. Louis physician came up Tuesday night, and after examination said that Mrs. Eads had a chance for life if she would submit to a surgical operation, and she was taken to St. Louis for that purpose.

Good Temper.

Faithful lodge I. O. G. T. had an interesting meeting last night at their rooms on North Water street. Henry Oaks, George Paxton and Ross Lewis were admitted to membership. Several visitors were present from neighboring towns.

Whose Child is She?

A girl about nine years of age has been wandering around the northern part of the city for the past few days and is undoubtedly lost. She doesn't know her name, where her home is or why she left it, and is evidently feeble minded. She is now in charge of Mrs. William Banks at her home, corner of Marietta and Edward streets, where those interested can find her. Oliver Batty reported the case to the Marshal last evening.

Will Furnish the Number.

R. O. Ryan, superintendent of Mills' planing and lumber company, yesterday secured the contract from Contractors Ellis, Hoff & Miller, for all the mill work and lumber necessary for the construction of the new "St. Mary's Hospital." The bill will amount to something over \$3,000. Ellis, Hoff & Miller's contract calls for the completion of the building by July 1, 1890.

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